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Applying Varnish

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## **RESPONSÉ**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 9, 2004, in which restriction was required.

In response to the requirement for restriction, we hereby elect the invention of Group I. Claims 1-7 drawn to apparatus are directed to the Group I invention.

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In view of the foregoing, further and favorable consideration of the application is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0852. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, an November 30, 2004.

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